The Honorable Michael K. Powell Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

I am writing again to try to persuade you to not allow the merger between EchoStar and DirecTV. I have seen recently already two law suits against EchoStar. The first with the Disney channel which they settled out of court with. The latest is they are sending low, or diminished signals to customers who rely on them to receive their local channels. If this is the way that EchoStar does business with their customers, what would happen if they became a magnum supplier? I feel that if this merger is allowed, then EchoStar can do whatever they wish, and the subscribers would only be the people that it would hurt.

Sincerely,

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